

MASKED WOMEN PARADE STREETS OF ATLANTA

Better Railway Service is Promised Far West By The S. P.

DUBBED WOMEN  
KU KLUX KLAN  
BY NEWSBOYS

Atlantans Ignorant of What  
Parade Was About; Police  
Led Women

MASKS SIMILAR TO KLAN  
Each Woman Entirely Masked  
Carried Small American  
Flag

ATLANTA, Ga., Nov. 22.—Masked women, estimated to number fully 500, paraded Atlanta streets for the first time in the history of the city last night. The paraders were said to be members of the Dixie Women's league, a patriotic society. They were arrayed in white costumes, with flowing sleeves, trimmed in red and blue. The masks which covered their faces, were similar to those formerly worn by the Ku Klux Klan. The also wore V-shaped huts, with red tassels. The parade was led by mounted policemen with a band. Then followed drummers, grouped in pairs, each carrying a small American flag. Just what it was all about Atlantans did not seem to know. The newsboys dubbed the the "Women's Ku Klux Klan."

SECTION HAND  
HANGS HIMSELF  
IN TOOLHOUSE

Sheriff Thomas received a wire last evening from Leland, a station on the Tonopah & Tidewater railroad below Beatty, that a railroad employee, by name of Frank Peine, was found hanging by the neck from a rafter in the section tool house at that place, and asking that the sheriff and the coroner come at once to investigate the death. W. T. Cuddy, coroner and Sheriff Thomas left at 7 o'clock this morning by auto to inquire into the cause of death of Peine.

STARVING TO DEATH TO  
WIN BACK HUSBY'S LOVE

SKOWHEGAN, Me., Nov. 22.—Mrs. Louis C. Britten is in the second week of her hunger strike, undertaken, she has announced, in the hope of winning back the affections of her husband who has brought suit for divorce.

FRISCO WORKER IS DEAD  
FROM DRINKIN' BAD MOOZE

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 22.—R. L. Bryant, residing in a hotel in a downtown district, was telephoned to by his employer at midday yesterday and asked why he had not reported for work. "Why, it is still night," Bryant replied. Mystified his employer investigated and found Bryant totally blind and in a semi-stupor. At a hospital later his condition was diagnosed as wood alcohol poisoning, caused presumably by illicit liquor. Bryant sank into a stupor and died today.

THE WEATHER

Local observer United States weather bureau.	
Current	33 42
Wet bulb	28 32
Relative humidity	56 33
Temperatures, Extremes	
1922 1921	
Maximum yesterday	42 55
Minimum yesterday	22 35

STOCK EXCHANGE OF  
LONDON IS DEFENDED

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Lecturing at the School of Oriental Studies, Professor H. S. Foxwell defended the stock exchange from a charge brought by many people that it was little better than a gambling hell. He said it was difficult to conceive anything more opposed to gambling than the speculations carried on in the stock exchange. Gambling was based on ignorance, he said, but speculation was based on intelligence.

FILIPINOS ASK  
PERMISSION TO  
HOLD CONVENTION

Solons Would Frame Future  
Independence of the  
Philippine Republic

MANILA, P. I., Nov. 22.—President Harding and congress will be petitioned to allow the Philippine legislature to call a constitutional convention to frame the future of the independent republic. This is the result of adoption by the house of a concurrent resolution passed by the senate three weeks ago.

WEALTHY RADICAL LOSES  
CITIZENSHIP IN PRISON

JOLIET, Ill., Nov. 22.—William Gross Lloyd, wealthy radical, today discarded civilian clothes, donning instead a suit of prison blue denim and became simply a convict with a number. Late last night Lloyd was convicted and sentenced with 200 others for radical utterances. He voluntarily surrendered to penitentiary authorities to begin serving his sentence of from one to five years.

THREAT MADE  
ON LIFE OF G.  
CLEMENCEAU

"Tiger" Received Threatening  
Letter Signed by "World  
War Veteran"

NEW YORK, Nov. 22.—The police escort assigned to Georges Clemenceau during his stay here, was doubled today when the "Tiger" received a letter threatening his life. It was signed: "World War Veteran."

U. S. OIL INDUSTRY  
STARTED SMALL SCALE

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The American oil industry of today, including 275,000 wells producing 1,500,000 barrels of oil daily started with one well producing 25 barrels a day, according to the American Petroleum Institute. Col. Edwin L. Drake, a pioneer in the oil industry, brought in the first producing well in 1859 near Titusville, Pa. At the time the well was put to the pump, the world was using fat and greases for illuminating and lubricating purposes and the automobile was unknown. Today upwards of 11,000,000 automobiles and thousands of tractors, oil-burning ships, airplanes, submarines, motorboats and portable engines depend on oil and its products for power and lubrication, the institute estimates.

SECTION WORKER SHOT  
AND KILLED BY UNKNOWN

SANTA ROSA, Calif., Nov. 22.—Frank Petelli, a Northwestern Pacific section hand, was shot and killed in a shack at Felton, near here, supposedly by his cousin, Metero Cinquini. Deputies are seeking Cinquini.

APPLAUSE FOR  
LADY SENATOR  
IN ONLY SPEECH

After Answering Roll Call and  
Making Address Mrs. Felton  
Becomes Former Senator

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 22.—The first American woman senator, Mrs. W. E. Felton of Georgia, addressed her senatorial colleagues after answering once to the roll call and making a brief address and the applause from senators and spectators. Her successor, Walter S. George, was then sworn in. Mrs. Felton became a former senator after an actual session of 22 hours and 25 minutes.

HIGH DIVIDE IS  
WELL FINANCED  
STATES REPORT

Development May Be Instituted  
in Divide District Within  
Very Short Time

Officials of the High Divide Mining Company who were in San Francisco last week state that the company will not enter the Randsburg district and that such a plan has not been considered. Future operations are undecided but it is stated that work may be resumed on the divide property if ore is found on the lower levels of the Tonopah Divide mine, which now seems probable. The company has \$25,000 surplus which is drawing a good rate of interest, and no expenses of any sort whatever. It is not the intention of the directors to liquidate the affairs of the corporation, and in course of time it will become active either in divide or elsewhere. With \$25,000 at their command the directors feel that the company can well afford to wait for something especially attractive to come along, which they are confident will happen in time.

BEVIS DIVIDE SHIPS  
MACHINERY TO MINE

Mining equipment owned by the Bevis Divide Mining Co. and formerly used on the property at Divide has been shipped to the lease secured recently by the company at Randsburg. This lease embraces a block of ground on the western part of the big property of the Pittsburgh & Mt. Shasta Mining & Milling Co., which adjoins the California Rand on the south. Sinking was started by the Bevis Co., a short time ago, and the shaft is now down over 30 feet, having entered the so-called silver schist at a depth of only four feet. Several stringers of oxidized material yielding good silver assays have been cut in sinking. J. E. Bevis, one of the original incorporators of the Bevis Divide Co., and who was formerly general manager of the Divide Extension property at Divide, has assumed charge of the work on the lease and considers the ground an excellent prospect.

HUNDRED MEN REPORTED  
ENTOMBED BY EXPLOSION

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 22.—More than 100 men were reported entombed by an explosion in No. 3 mine of the Woodward Iron company at Dolomite, near Bessemer, according to word received at the office of the coroner here. Not one of the trapped men have been removed, the report stated.

DANGEROUS  
COMMUNISTS  
IN LONDON

Serious Riots Forecasted by  
Many Morning Papers of  
London

CO-OPERATING WITH MOSCOW  
Unemployed Marched From the  
Provinces to Gather at  
Leaders' Call

LONDON, Nov. 22.—An alleged Communist plot to provoke revolutionary trouble in London today in connection with an anticipated demonstration by the unemployed is a feature of the morning newspapers, some of which predict serious rioting. Organizers of the alleged plot are said by several papers, which claim sufficient official support for their statements, to be dangerous Communists, working in cooperation with Moscow. The plan is said to be an unemployed who marched from the provinces to London last week to ask the premier to receive the deputation. Bonar Law declined to receive them.

NOTED NEGRO MEETS  
GREAT ARCHBISHOP

LONDON, Nov. 22.—Dr. R. R. Moton, successor of the late Booker T. Washington as head of Tuskegee Institute, was the guest of the Archbishop of Canterbury while in London recently, after a visit to Scotland where he attended the Scottish National Missionary Conference. Dr. Moton is also head of the National Negro Business League. He was entertained by the archbishop at luncheon, after which he visited the British Institute of International Affairs.

PRISONS FILLING  
SINCE VOLSTEAD  
LAW EFFECTIVE

W. H. Clayton Makes Statement  
of Crime Condition  
Since 1917

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Statistics issued by the census bureau showing increases in the number of prisoners in state and federal institutions since "wet" year 1917, reveal that the eighteenth amendment, or the Volstead act has not been deterrent to crime. W. H. Clayton, the founder and head of the Association Against the Prohibition Amendment, declared.

ELKS CHARITY BALL  
EVENING DECEMBER 14

At the regular weekly meeting of Tonopah Lodge No. 1062 B. P. O. Elks it was decided to hold their annual charity ball on Thursday evening, December 14. This charity ball of the Elks is looked upon with much favor by the citizens of Tonopah and is always a pronounced success. The proceeds of the affair are given over to charity.

\$10,000 HIGHWAY MAN  
NOT SEEKING OFFICE

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 22.—Austin B. Fletcher, state highway engineer and director of the department of public works, announced today that he was not a candidate for re-appointment by Governor-elect Richardson. He has held the office since 1911 at a salary of \$10,000.

FAMILY OF SIX  
FOUND DEAD IN  
AN OHIO VILLAGE

All Fully Dressed and Death  
Believed Due to Some Kind  
of Medicine

LANCASTER, O., Nov. 22.—Six members of the family of Irvin Henderson were found dead in their home here today. Their deaths are believed to have resulted from some kind of medicine. The father and mother were found sitting in an upright position in chairs before a fire. The four children were in bed. All were fully dressed. The children ranged in ages from seven years to 18 months.

TO INVESTIGATE  
OIL MONOPOLY IN  
WESTERN STATES

Senator Walsh Introduces Reso-  
lution Asking for Probing  
of Alleged Monopolies

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—An investigation by the senate public lands committee of alleged oil monopolies in Wyoming and Montana was proposed today in a resolution by Senator Walsh of Montana. He said reports showed the Midwest Oil Company controlled 93 to 97 per cent of private Wyoming oil lands and excessive prices were charged for pipe line construction.

NORTH BOUND TRAIN  
DELAYED BY ACCIDENT

Train No. 23 for Reno this morning met with a mishap when about to depart on its northern trip. A drawhead on the engine broke and pulled out, causing the necessity of sending to Goldfield for another one. The breakage caused a delay in departure of the train nearly four hours, it leaving Tonopah at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

TONNAGE OIL SHIPS  
GREATLY INCREASED

LONDON, Nov. 6.—The total tonnage of merchant vessels afloat at the end of June, 1922 holding the classification of Lloyds Register, exceeded 27,000,000 tons the highest figure ever recorded according to the annual report of "Lloyds Register of Shipping." To these figures should be added 296 vessels of 1,524,013 tons under the heading of "class contemplated," which brings the aggregate to 10,325 vessels of 28,750,000 tons. On the first total 5878 vessels of 13,724,562 tons are British and 4151 of 13,506,567 tons belong to other countries.

It is stated that disturbed political and economic conditions, disorganization of exchanges, and stagnation of international trade, provide adequate explanations for the continued falling off in shipbuilding.

Vessels of all types of construction intended for bulk oil carrying, and built in the last 12 months, amounted to 114 of 602,399 tons. The progressive demand for oil carrying vessels is shown by the fact that the registered tonnage of these vessels has increased from 1,478,988 tons in July, 1914, to 5,062,639 tons in July, 1922. Some 209 vessels of 1,395,929 tons were fitted for burning oil fuel during the year, and whereas in July, 1914, the vessels so fitted totaled 1,310,209 tons, the figures for July, 1922, were 14,464,162 tons.

The continued development of the use of internal combustion engine is commented on. In July, 1914, there were 297 motor vessels of 234,257 tons, while in July, 1922, there were 1620 vessels of 1,542,160 tons, including 66 of over 6000 tons.

KU KLUX KLAN KLEAGLE  
LOSES OUT IN COURT

OMAHA, Neb., Nov. 22.—Habeas corpus action brought by Edgar I. Fuller, kleagle of the Ku Klux Klan at Sacramento, directing his wife to appear in court with their four-year-old daughter, was dismissed yesterday by agreement and an order entered by District Judge Hagley allowing Fuller to visit the child any day between noon and 6 p. m., pending the outcome of Mrs. Fuller's suit for divorce, in which she charged non-support.

LIGHTNIN BILL  
JONES LAID TO  
REST IN CHICAGO

Noted Character Actor's Body  
Will Rest in Vault  
Till Spring

CHICAGO, Nov. 22.—The body of Frank Bacon, noted character actor, was removed from the hotel where he died Sunday to Blackstone Theatre, where, until a week before his final illness, he appeared nightly for over a year in the title role "Lightnin' Bill Jones" of which he also was the author. This afternoon with hundreds of friends and stars of the world of make-believe, in attendance, simple funeral services will be held, and "Lightnin' Bill Jones" will be laid to rest in the Chicago vault until next summer, when his body will be taken to Bacon's native California to find its final resting place near where he was born.

SIX BANDITS ROB  
MAIL TRUCK AND  
KIDNAP DRIVER

Robbers Secure Sixteen Pouches  
of Mail Intended To Be Sent  
to Omaha by Plane

CHICAGO, Ill., Nov. 22.—Six bandits held up a postoffice mail truck carrying air mail to the Checkerboard field for the morning flight to Omaha, kidnaped the driver and escaped with 16 pouches of business mail. The value of the mail was not ascertained but is believed to be small.

SOLDIER BONUS BILL  
REINTRODUCED TODAY

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 22.—Representative Johnson of South Dakota today reintroduced the soldier's bonus measure, voted by President Harding at the last session of congress.

RED RACE INCREASES  
BY MANY THOUSANDS

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—The Indian race is not a dying one. E. B. Meritt, assistant Indian commissioner, says the 340,917 Indians now in the United States represent an increase of approximately 13,500 over the number ten years ago.

The increase has been brought about, the assistant commissioner says, by improved housing conditions and increased hospital and medical facilities. There are 78 hospitals at the Indian reservations and schools, and there are employed in the Indian service 150 physicians, 81 nurses and 70 field matrons, the latter visiting the homes of Indians to improve living conditions. "We are educating in our Indian schools and in the public schools of the country 60,000 Indian children," Mr. Meritt says. "And are asking for increased appropriations with a view of ultimately placing every Indian child of school age in school, on the theory that education, industry and sanitary living conditions are the solutions of the Indian problem."

CHAIRMAN BOARD  
ESPEE PROMISES  
BETTER SERVICE

All Dependent, However, Upon  
Setting Aside Dissolu-  
tion Notice

NEW STATIONS PROMISED  
Capital for Work Obtained by  
the Credit of the  
Southern Pacific

WASHINGTON, Nov. 22.—Important expansions and betterments by the Central Pacific are immediately necessary to meet the demands of western commerce, Julius Kruttschnitt, chairman of the board of the Southern Pacific, testified today before the Interstate Commerce Commission, and will be made with capital obtained by credit of the Southern Pacific of the supreme court decision ordering the dissolution of the railroads. The plans include new stations at Sacramento and Reno, and second tracks over the Sierra and elsewhere.

Kruttschnitt said the Southern Pacific also contemplated enlarging its terminals at Dunsmuir.

GOLDFIELD ELKS  
INVADE TONOPAH  
LODGE MEETING

The Goldfield Elks last evening prancing a surprise on their local brethren, who four and a half hours of the authorized trip headed by District Grand Exalted Ruler Charles Sprague and accompanied by Jack Murphy, George J. Kenna, Carroll Mills, D. S. Arnold, Charles Bizzard, Theodore Pathoff, J. J. Jordan, Harry McQuinn, L. E. Parrish, Bud Foley, E. M. Stoller, A. Farnes and J. Dolan, visited Tonopah lodge.

The Goldfield band again agreed to assist in the initiation of five candidates into the local lodge. Those who received their degrees were E. L. Moffat, Jim Primmer, Sam. Jr., Hans Jensen, William H. Thompson, all of Tonopah and Ralph Duncan of Millers.

The initiation over, all adjourned to the banquet hall where a hounteous warm supper was served to the guests and members of the order.

Butler  
Theater  
Today

A Northwest Mounted Police Story  
BUCK JONES  
In  
"TROOPER O'NEIL"  
An outlaw can go on being bad until the Northwest Mounted gets on his trail. Then he stops being bad or he stops breaking.  
In For Life  
Brand New Two-Reel Christie comedy  
Tomorrow  
The beautiful star—Naomi Childers, in "Courage," one of the finest pictures shown here in some time.